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Title: HUMAN LYSOPHOSPHOLIPASE

Serial No.: 09/988,982

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Please find the enclosed Response to Office Action dated January 24, 2003 for the above-identified patent application.

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Office Action dated **January 24, 2003**. Applicant(s) request reconsideration of the above-referenced patent application in view of the following amendments and remarks.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel claims 1 and 2.

Please amend claims 3, 4, 5, 9, and 12 as follows.

For the Examiner's convenience, all pending claims are listed below. Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to the claims by the current amendment. The attached page is captioned "**VERSION WITH MARKINGS TO SHOW CHANGES MADE.**"